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inj lim, proj lim	$\varinjlim, \varprojlim$		$\sqrt{a + \frac{b}{x}}$
$f: A \rightarrow B$	$A \xrightarrow{f} B$		
f^{-1}	f^{-1}		